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In re Patent Application of:  
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For: A NOVEL PROTEIN CAPABLE OF  
INHIBITING ANTHRAX TOXIN ACTIVITY

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Examiner: V. L. Ford

**RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated July 9, 2009, please amend the above-identified U. S. patent application as follows:

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 2 of this paper.